ABSTRACT
WA-I-341
18th-19th Century
Turn of the Century Farm Complex
Cedar Lawn Vicinity
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WA-I-341 District 24 Map 37 Parcel 53

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

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| | Century Farm Complex | <u> </u> | · · · · · · | | |
| LOCATION | | • | | | - |
| STREET & NUMBER | | e e e e | | | |
| South of Wes | st Washington Street | (MD 144) | | | |
| CITY, TOWN | | | CONGRESSI | ONAL DISTRI | ICT |
| Hagerstown | <u> </u> | VICINITY OF Cedar Lawn | - | 6 | |
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| SITE OBJECT | PUBLIC ACQUISITION | ACCESSIBLE | | TAINMENT | RELIGIOUS |
| UBJECT | | YES: RESTRICTED | G OVE F | RNMENT | SCIENTIFIC |
| | IN PROCESS | | | | |
| | BEING CONSIDERED | YES: UNRESTRICTED | _INDUS | | |
| OWNED OF | BEING CONSIDERED | YES: UNRESTRICTED | INDUS | | TRANSPORTATION |
| OWNER OF | PROPERTY | X_NO | MILITA | ARY | |
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__FAIR

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__UNALTERED ≤ 50%

X ORIGINAL SITE
__MOVED DATE_____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This farm complex is located south of West Washington Street, Maryland Route 144, east of Hopewell Road and west of Hagerstown in Washington County. The house is situated on an area of relatively level limestone ground and faces north.

The dwelling is a two story four bay brick structure resting on low fieldstone foundations. An ell extension at the rear is of stone and brick construction. The walls display American or common bonding at all elevations with, generally, eight courses of stretchers between header rows. Above the windows and doors are segmental arches of brick. Windows have narrow casings with arched tops holding two over two pane double hung sashes. Many windows have pairs of shutters with movable louvers. The main entrance is located in the third bay from the east end of the front elevation. It is treated similarly to the windows and has a four panel door with matching molding on the jambs. A one story porch supported by tapered square pillars resting on brick piers extends across the front elevation.

South of the house is a large frame bank barn with decorative metal ventilators on its roof peak. It faces south.

The buildings appear to be in fair to good condition and stand on a tract containing 97.11 acres.

| STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE | | | | | | | |
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| SPECIFIC DATES | | BUILDER/ARCHITECT | | | | | |
| <u>X_1900</u> . | COMMUNICATIONS | _INDUSTRY _INVENTION | POLITICS/GOVERNMENT | _OTHER (SPECIFY) | | | |
| X_1800-1899 | COMMERCE | EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT | PHILOSOPHY | _TRANSPORTATION | | | |
| 1700-1799 | ART | ENGINEERING | MUSIC | THEATER | | | |
| _1600-1699 | XARCHITECTURE | EDUCATION | MILITARY | _SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN | | | |
| 1500-1599 | X AGRICULTURE | ECONOMICS | LITERATURE | SCULPTURE | | | |
| 1400-1499 | _ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC | CONSERVATION | _LAW | SCIENCE | | | |
| PREHISTORIC | ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC | COMMUNITY PLANNING | _LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE | RELIGION | | | |
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| ORGANIZATION | | DATE |
| Washington County Hi: | storical Sites Survey | September 1977 |
| | ng 33 West Washington Street | 791-3065 |

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